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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of:	Francis X. Shields et al.
Appln. No.:	10/787,529
Filed:	February 26, 2004
For:	SPOT MARKET CLEARING
Attorney Docket No:	10022/442

Examiner: Wong, Eric Tak Wai
Art Unit: 3693
Confirmation No.: 6461

### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.